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AMUSEMENTS.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER — Tonight at 8:15 o'clock, Florence Roberts in "Magda."

THE BAKER THEATER—Tonight at 8:15, "The Starbucks."

MISSED THE TYPHOON.—P. F. Morey and his son Fred, who sailed from San Francisco January 11, for a trip to the Society Islands for the benefit of Mr. Morey's health, returned to Portland yesterday. They were 12 days on the way from San Francisco to Tahiti, one of the most southerly of the Society Islands. They spent five days there, and were 12 days on the return. The typhoon which devastated the Tuamotu Archipelago, the northern of the Society Islands, occurred six days before they reached Tahiti, so they escaped any danger from it, but the ship labored in a very heavy swell for three days, which made most of the passengers seasick. The weather was delightfully cool and pleasant during the entire trip. The time passed on the island was spent principally in driving along the beach and into the interior of the island, which is about 35 miles long and contains about 12,000 inhabitants, principally natives. The horses are very small, and as there is no grass or hay or oats, they live on cocoanuts, bananas and bread fruit, all of which, as well as other tropical fruits, are plentiful and cheap. The cost of living on the islands is not high, especially in regard to clothing, as the men, who are tall, fine-looking and muscular fellows, wear only a singlet and loin cloth, and the women a "Mother Hubbard." They are all indolent and lazy, but cheerful, happy and very hospitable. They have esthetic tastes, as they wear wreaths around their heads and flowers behind their left ears.

WHEN A MAN SHOULD BE KILLED.—Five of a party of six friends while taking lunch at their club yesterday were slightly amused at a dilemma of the other. He is obliged to wear glasses, and what is worse, has to carry two pairs, one for seeing things near by, and another for seeing things at a distance. He picked up a paper to glance over while sipping his "cafe noir," and accidentally let his near-sight glasses fall on the carpet. He pushed his chair back and endeavored to see where they had landed. Not being able to discern them he got down on his knees and commenced feeling around for them. At last he put on his long-distance glasses and looked all about under the table. Still he could not discover the missing glasses. The rest of the party paid no attention and presently he began to say things; short and epigrammatic but not exactly "correct." Perspiration began to ooze from his brow and in a moment the glasses on his nose slid off and fell on top of the missing ones, which had been literally "under his nose" all the time. He recovered both pairs and his seat with as much composure as possible, but as he drained the last drop of his coffee he remarked that it was his opinion that when a man's eyesight failed him his friends should kill him off. He says he intends to wear both his glasses on chains in the future.

EARTHWORMS ARE SCARCE.—The grounds around a cottage in Hawthorne Park were crowded Wednesday by scores of robins, which, owing to the ground being frozen, were unable to "draw" their usual ration of earthworms. A bountiful supply of bread crumbs was thrown out to them and every crumb of it was picked up. Yesterday morning another supply of crumbs and seeds was provided and the birds were on hand early to fill their little craws. So long as the ground is not frozen the robins can always find a worm for dinner, but when the ground is hard the worms cannot be got hold of and the robins go hungry unless some kind-hearted persons throw out crumbs for them. There is an old, old song, one verse of which is as follows, which it might be well if many knew at this time, which runs thus: "When poor robin redbreast approaches the cot, and the icicles hang at the door; when the bowl smokes with something reviving and hot, that's the time to remember the poor." All who have a crumb to share should remember the robin and the poor, now that the days and nights are frosty and chilly.

ARTISANS AT BANQUET.—The Supreme Assembly of United Artisans banqueted the subordinate assembly of the same order at Rath & Sandys' Restaurant, 145 First street, the occasion being one of general jollification of a membership contest between the two branches of the order. The hall was prettily decorated with the colors of the order and flowers, ferns and potted plants. An orchestra furnished music for the banquetters while a dinner of eight courses was served. The guests numbered 175 people. The toastmaster was J. W. Mills and the following persons responded to toasts: Supreme master artisan, Francis I. McKenna; supreme secretary, C. L. McKenna; R. A. Breynan, J. L. Beckmen, W. M. Bush, Dr. E. M. Graves, Mrs. J. Leach and W. A. Viggers.

CITY OFFICIALS ARE SICK.—City Engineer Elliott was unable to be at his office yesterday on account of a severe cold and symptoms of pneumonia. Auditor Devlin, who has been kept at home for a day or two by a rather sharp attack of rheumatism and who endeavored to persuade Horace Whiting to represent him in this matter, as he represented him at Seattle, was able to be at his office and attend to business yesterday. It is very fortunate for Mr. Devlin that he is not required to take civil service examination under the new charter, as so many city employes are. Among the first and most prominent questions on the list of the Examining Board, is: "Have you ever had rheumatism?"

PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER DEAD.—City Superintendent of Schools Rigler and the teachers in all the schools were greatly shocked and surprised on learning yesterday morning that Miss Lurline Cochran, teacher in the fourth grade at North Central School, was dead. She had been quite ill and out of school for a time on account of an abscess of the inner ear, but had resumed her duties at the beginning of this term. On Tuesday a substitute was called in to take her place and at 2 A. M. Wednesday Miss Cochran died. She was greatly beloved by her pupils and much esteemed by the teachers and the School Board.

WHERE IS HARRY TREMBLE BLACK?—The mysterious disappearance of Harry Tremble Black from Omaha, Neb., has caused his friends much alarm and they are making a strong effort to find him. He was a bookbinder by trade and it is thought that he will be found in some establishment where his work is needed. The last trace that his people have of him he was said to have started to Portland. A letter has been mailed to all of the bookbinders in the city. He is 21 years of age, has red hair, blue eyes, smooth face, weighs about 145 or 150 pounds, and is about 5 feet 7 inches tall.

THUGS GET TEN CENTS.—A big scare but a small loss is the story that is told by H. Nusbum, who was held up at 348 Front street last night. He was stopped by two masked highwaymen, but after emptying his pockets the thieves got only 10 cents. He was badly frightened, but says he does not feel nearly so bad as if he had had more money with him at the time he was held up.

SECRETARY OF MULTNOMAH CLUB ELECTED.—The Board of Trustees of the Multnomah Club met last night at the clubhouse, Morrison and Chapman streets. C. D. Brandon was elected secretary of the board. No other officers were elected on account of the absence of several of the trustees.

OYSTER COCKTAILS served free today at Dresser's, Seventh and Washington.

HEAVY GALE AT BULL RUN HEADWORKS.—The gale of last Sunday night played havoc with the telephone line to the head works on Bull Run, as the wind was very severe in the canyon of that river, and broke off many large limbs and blew down a number of trees, breaking the wire in many places. The pipe line inspector went out over the line to the headworks a day or two ago and found the line all repaired and in working order. The line is very important, as it is constantly being used to regulate the flow of water for supplying the city. He found but little snow in the canyons along Bull Run, but there is considerable along the hills on both sides. During the month of January there were more freshets and higher ones in Bull Run than were ever known before in the same space of time, owing to the succession of chinook winds and warm rains, which melted the snows rapidly. These freshets brought down great quantities of drift, the limbs and tops of trees broken off by winds, and quite a number of whole trees, some three to four feet in diameter and 100 feet in length. Several months ago a large landslide came down into the river near the headworks, but fortunately just below the intake of the city water supply. The earth was washed down the river, but several huge boulders as big as street-cars remained, and in these trees and drift accumulated till they threatened to block the stream. The pipe line inspector had the boulders drilled and the trees sawed into pieces, and by the use of a lot of giant powder scattered the boulders and sent the driftwood down the stream, removing the whole obstruction. Had such a landslide occurred above the intake, the city water might have been discolored a little for a time.

TO START STURGEON FISHING AGAIN.—Since the Columbia River is again fairly well stocked with sturgeon, and many of them are getting fairly sizeable, old sturgeon fishermen are coming back to live on the river. H. Balhorn, who used to live on the bank of the river near Caples' Landing about a dozen years ago, where he made a pot of money catching sturgeon, and whose house was washed away by the big flood, is said to be coming back to rebuild his house and re-establish his business. He had a very soft snap in the fishing line. He ran out a line nearly a mile long, with hooks attached every few yards, the further end being anchored fast, and the inshore end attached to a bell at the head of his bed. Every day he would go along in his boat, underrunning his line and baiting the hooks as they passed over the boat. He had a place for his boat under his bedroom, and a stairway down to it. When a sturgeon became caught on one of his hooks during the night, the bell by his bed rang, and he just slipped into his pants and gum boots, got down in his boat, took hold of his fishing line and pulled himself along, hand over hand, till he found the sturgeon, or sometimes half a dozen—and they were big ones in those days. Of course, he saw that all the hooks were rebaited, and then rowed back to his bed. Life went very well with him in those days, but when the sturgeon were exterminated, he went away down the coast, and has not had any easy fishing since. "And that's why I am coming back on the Columbia," said he to a reporter yesterday.

MANY CHILDREN AT SCHOOL.—The number of pupils in attendance at the public schools of this city Wednesday, February 11, was 11,905, the largest number ever registered. The number at the corresponding date last year was 11,100, showing an increase for the year of 805. The maximum attendance will be reached next week, at which time Superintendent Rigler has been figuring that the 12,000 mark will be reached, and he is now confident that the number will be a little beyond 12,000. This is a considerable number of children, but one who has occasion go about the city much, and has seen such numbers of boys chasing and pummelling each other on the sidewalks or playing marbles, or practicing baseball on the streets, acting as messenger boys, etc., can easily imagine that there might be several thousand more in the schools to the advantage of themselves and the public.

BRIGHT BOY FOR CITY MESSENGER.—Mayor Williams has appointed Birle Bennett as City Hall messenger, a new position on the force of employes at work in the building. Though the salary of the messenger is only $25 a month there were nearly 30 applicants for the position, and the Mayor had a hard time to choose among them, for he says that all appeared such bright-looking young men and boys that it was difficult to select the best. The place is a good training school for a boy, as he becomes acquainted with prominent men and soon has a knowledge of municipal affairs as carried on in the City Hall. Birle Bennett is a boy about 17 years of age, and it will be his duty to act as messenger for all of the officials in the City Hall.

REGIMENT TO GO TO CHURCH.—Colonel Everett, Third Regiment, Oregon National Guard, will issue an order in a few days for the regiment to attend church February 22. The battery will probably attend church with the regiment. At the same time an order will be given out to open an indoor rifle range. This will tend to keep the marksmanship of the guard at its high standard.

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The meeting of the Ohio Society will be postponed till February 20.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Representative R. G. Ginn, of Morrow, is at the Perkins.

Sheriff C. S. Smith, of Prineville, was at the Perkins last night.

W. H. Babcock, a wheatgrower from Walla Walla, is at the Perkins.

C. L. Houston, the Astoria contractor, arrived last night at the Imperial.

Gilbert Hunt, a wealthy citizen of Walla Walla, is a guest of the Imperial.

Ex-State Senator W. F. Matlock, of Pendleton, registered at the Imperial yesterday.

George Proebstel, ex-State Senator from Umatilla County, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. McBride, of St. Helens, were at the Imperial last night.

Food and Dairy Commissioner Bailey has left for Salem on business connected with the commission.

S. P. Cosgrove, an attorney from Pomeroy, Wash., was one of the guests yesterday at the Perkins.

W. T. Matlock, of Pendleton, who is interested in a brewery in Skagway, Alaska, is registered at the Imperial.

E. L. Smith left last night for Medford, Or., where he will attend a meeting of the State Board of Horticulture at that place.

R. A. Stuart, the Seattle man who is building the new condensed milk factory at Forest Grove, is staying at the Imperial.

R. Alexander, a leading merchant and politician of Burns, Harney County, was in town yesterday, with headquarters at the Imperial.

H. S. Bowen, R. D. Carter and L. Crabill, three well-known business men of Baker City, arrived at the Imperial yesterday afternoon.

Ned S. Morony, runner for the Portland Hotel, will leave next Monday for Santa Cruz, Cal., accompanied by his wife, to spend the remainder of the winter. This will be his first "day off" since the hotel opened, 12 years ago.

Mayor R. D. Carter and Councilmen L. Crabill and H. S. Bowen, of Baker City, are at the Imperial. They are in Portland to study municipal conditions.

Secretary George H. Lamberson, of the State Horticultural Bureau, 246 Washington street, returned last evening from Salem, where he was engaged in business connected with the board.

Miss Hattie Korn, of San Francisco, who was married to Otto Neisser, of Los Angeles, is here on a visit for a few days with her sister, Mrs. Max Friedenthal, 228 North Nineteenth street.

"The Alaskan boundary will probably be pushed back to its original position." This is the pleasing declaration that Jack Dalton, the well-known Alaska miner, is prepared to make to his fellow miners after having held a personal interview with President Roosevelt and working in Washington, D. C., several days in the interest of the Alaska miners in the boundary discussion. "I have not much to say," announced Mr. Dalton as he was interviewed, "but I am well pleased with the answers that I received from the President and from the Legislators while I was in Washington." Mr. Dalton will go from here to San Francisco, where he will meet his partner, Mr. Handley, and the two will go back to Alaska together.

Mark A. Mayer, of Fleischner, Mayer & Co., resident member of the firm in New York City for the past 15 years or more, and son of Jacob Mayer, one of the founders of the firm, is expected to arrive here Tuesday, in company with I. N. Fleischner, who is on his way home from a business trip to Germany. Life in New York suits Mr. Mayer so well that he seldom comes to Portland now, except when called by business, though there are many here who have pleasant memories of him since he was a boy and one of the jolliest and liveliest in the city. Some important business in connection with the change in the firm caused by the death of the late Solomon Hirsch is what brings him out here at this time and he will probably remain longer on this occasion than usual.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Northwestern people were registered at New York hotels today as follows:

From Sumpter, Or.—J. D. Goss, at the Victoria.

From Spokane—F. Bradley, at the St. Denis; Miss A. E. Smith, at the Albert; O. L. Rankin, at the Gilsey.

From Seattle—A. E. Ransom, at the Manhattan; M. D. Pease, at the St. Denis.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—H. D. Kilham, of the Kilham Stationery Company, Portland, called at the Eastern office of The Oregonian today. Mr. Kilham on this trip East has visited Chicago, St. Louis and Rochester. He will return home by way of Boston and Chicago. He is making extensive purchases of stock here for his Portland house. Mr. Kilham will return to Portland about March 1.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

The Kilties Band.

Afternoon concert—Overture, "I Puritani" (Bosquet); bagpipe solo, "Seventy-ninth's Farewell to Gibraltar," Pipe-Sergeant Ferguson; "Ye Banks and Braes" (Kappey); dance, "Shean Trews," Master Eugene Lockhart; waltz, "German Songs" (Keler-Bela); partsong, "Annie Laurie" (Lady Scott), Kilties choir; Scotch reel, in costume; scenes from "Sun Toy" (Jones); solo, divertisement for clarinet (Le Thierre), Joseph Lomax; three dances, "Nell Gwyn (German), country dance, pastoral dance, merrymakers' dance; tenor solo, "Lassie, Wad Ye Lo'e Me" (Holden), J. Coates Lockhart; American sketch, "Down South," Myddleton.

Evening concert—Overture, "The Armouren" (Lortzing); bagpipe solo, "Caller Herrin'" (arranged by Ferguson), Pipe-Sergeant Ferguson; Scotch fantasia, "Scotland's Pride" (Godfrey); dance, "Highland Fling," Master Eugene Lockhart; waltz, "Die Hydropaten" (Gungl); partsong, "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton," Kilties choir; Scotch reel in costume, Kilties reel dancers; scenes from "Florodora" (Jones); solo for trombone, "Columbia" (Rollinson), Harry Hawe; idyl, "Forest Ranger's Courtship" (Ellenberg), forest life, forester's serenade, forester's wedding march, dance upon the greensward; tenor solo, "The MacGregor's Gathering" (Lee), J. Coates Lockhart (written by Sir Walter Scott; it is descriptive of the severe treatment of the MacGregors, the clan being outlawed, their lands forfeited and their names proscribed); morceau characteristique, "Pan Americana" (Herbert); dance, "Sailor's Hornpipe," David Ferguson; march, "University of Pennsylvania" (Seitz).

This morning at 8:30 o'clock the farfamed Kilties Band, of Canada, will arrive at the Union depot and prepare for their four concerts at the Exposition building, this afternoon and evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening. Their first street parade will start from the Union Depot about noon today, and the route will be: From the depot to Sixth street, and up Sixth to Morrison; down Morrison to First; north on First to Ash; up Ash to Third; south on Third to Washington; and up Washington to the Exposition building. The giant drum-major, McCormack, standing seven feet tall and weighing about 300 pounds, will lead the procession, and it is understood that he will be accompanied, in full kilted regimentals, by George J. Cameron, president of the Caledonian Club. In this parade only the skirling bagpipers and bugiers will play. The brass band will only be heard at the concerts. The band will appear in full-kilted Highland regimentals.

Every care will be taken to see that the Exposition building is made comfortable and pleasant for the big crowds that will surely be present, and steam heat will be turned on early this morning and kept on all day and evening, so that the place will be well heated.

The band is now on its sixth American tour, has played in more than 500 American cities, traveled over 50,000 miles, and has played to crowds estimated at 2,000,000 people. Critics say that it is one of the great military bands of this country, and there are those who state that it is as good as Sousa's and the Red Band of Italy, if not superior. During the concerts by the Kilties at the Buffalo Exposition, the Buffalo Review remarked:

The Kilties scored an instant hit. At least 10,000 people surrounded the bandstand. Sousa, during the most successful period of his engagement, could not nearly boast of that number.

After the concert given by the Kilties at Madison Square Garden, New York, over a year ago, a New York newspaper said:

The greatest audience that ever greeted a musical organization in the metropolis cheered the Kilties to the echo. The paid admissions numbered 8242, and the box office receipts ran close to $7000.

The four concerts in this city will be given under the auspices of the Portland Caledonian Club, and there will be a complete change of programme at each performance.

"Magda" Tonight.

"Magda" will be the offering at the Marquam this evening, and the announcement that Florence Roberts will appear in the title role of Sudermann's great creation naturally awakens pleasant anticipations. The character of "Magda" is seldom attempted by visiting actresses, owing to the emotional requirements of the part. That an actress of the genius and power of Miss Roberts should give the Portland public a glimpse of the play is a cause for congratulation. Magda, driven from a home hide-bound in conventionalities, because she will not marry the man selected by her father, returns after many years, a self-reliant woman, "Who sinned because she pleased to, who holds herself accountable to no one, and who in the end cannot rise to the unselfish height of sacrificing herself in order that her father might spend his remaining days in happiness and honor." The one bright spot in her home-coming is her love for her younger sister. To her the others are people who have to be tolerated.

Fine Scenic Production.

The members of the Baker Stock Company are playing their parts this week in plain clothes. Each member of the company has a character part and it is certainly interesting to see with what ease they handle the lines, speak the dialect and lose their identity in general. The story is from the pen of Opie Read, the noted novelist, and is called "The Starbucks." The play is very interesting and the company is exceptionally good. Special mention should be made of the stage settings. Frank King, the scenic artist for the Baker Theater, deserves great credit for his meritorious painting. The panorama seen in the third act is truly a work of art. The immense stretch of canvas with the mountains and valley in the distance and the river coursing down the valley with the rail fence around the Starbuck farm, the log house in which the Starbuck family lives, forms a stage picture that playgoers will long remember.

Sale for James and Warde.

The advance sale of seats will begin this morning at 10 o'clock for the return engagement of Louis James and Frederick Warde at the Marquam Grand on Monday night and Tuesday matinee. Messrs. Wagenhals and Kemper have decided to revive "Francesca da Rimini," George H. Boker's version. This step was taken on account of the great demand to see Mr. James in his wonderful character creation of Pepe, the jester. Mr. Warde will be seen to great advantage as Lanciotto, and his reading of the poetic lines is a continual charm.

The tragedy of "Francesca da Rimini" is sublime, and this generation cannot hope for a better rendition of the masterpiece than that offered by Louis James and Frederick Warde.

The supporting company will comprise Norman Hackett as Paolo, Wadsworth Harris as Malatesta, Miss Aprie James as Ritta and the scenic investiture of the production will be elaborate and appropriate.

For Tuesday night "The Tempest" will be the offering, due to the requests of many patrons who were unable to see it last October.

To Present Comedy Success.

Commencing with the usual Sunday matinee, Manager Baker will offer for one week, to the patrons of his popular playhouse, William Gillette's comedy success, "All the Comforts of Home."

"All the Comforts of Home" is an unusually funny play and one wonders how on earth such things are ever straightened out. The plot hinges on a young man who is left at home without any money, while the family goes on a journey. He hits upon the scheme of renting the rooms. He places an advertisement in the daily papers which results in his renting them all. The eccentricities of his roomers and the unexpected return of the family furnishes enough complications to keep the young man busy during the entire action of the comedy to straighten matters out, and well furnishes an evening of genuine pleasure for the theatergoing public.

"All the Comforts of Home" has never failed to please the most critical, as it is a well-constructed comedy, full of bright wit and humor, and it is predicted that it will do even a greater business than "Charley's Aunt" which had a phenomenal patronage two weeks ago.

"The Heart of Maryland."

Not only in this country but in England, David Belasco's American romantic war play, "The Heart of Maryland," which is to be presented at the Marquam Grand Theater next Wednesday night and Thursday afternoon, February 18 and 19, has achieved one of the greatest popular successes that has fallen to the lot of a dramatic production in the past decade. It is in story, events and climaxes realistic, impressive as well as sensational. Its love passages arouse the heart interest of the audience while its pictures of camp life and warfare add to its excitements. The scenic accessories are picturesque and realistic and the characters strongly drawn. A capable company will interpret the cast.

Miss Alma Kruger, an actress who has already attained distinction as a leading artist, will interpret the character of Maryland Calvert, the heroine.

Y. M. C. A. BOYS AT BANQUET

Orange Club Wins Association Membership Contest.

The Orange Club, one of the social clubs of the Young Men's Christian Association, won the membership competition and celebrated the victory by a turkey dinner in the boys' room yesterday afternoon. The club which brought the most members into the association was to be waited upon by those who had lost in the contest, and this was strictly adhered to yesterday. The contest had been in progress for some six weeks and great interest has been manifested by the young members of the association.

W. Y. Masters, the boys' director of the association, was the principal speaker at the banquet, while Charles Wonacott, one of the secretaries, acted as toastmaster. Two of the boys, Harry Moore, the captain of the club, and Edwin Thayer, his lieutenant, responded to the toasts with neat speeches.

An exhibition of the X-rays and high electrical potentials will be given in the auditorium of the association. The rays will be so arranged that the audience may actually see the marvelous qualities of the rays, something which most former exhibitions have lacked. Those of the audience, if they desire, may have the rays turned upon them, revealing the bones of their body with a faint shadow of the outline. The exhibition is given by the electrician of the association and no admission will be charged. The high electrical potentials include such displays as perforating glass with the electrical fluid and other interesting experiments.

Councilman A. F. Flegel will talk to the members of the association next Sunday afternoon on the choice of an occupation for a young man.

The association council gives a supper this evening at which Rodney L. Glisan will make an address on municipal affairs. The council is for the purpose of instructing the members in the duties of a citizen acting on the City Council as well as for social purposes.

To Present Shakespearean Scenes.

The Shakespeare department of the Woman's Club, at the meeting today, at 2:30, will present scenes from "As You Like It." Madame J. H. Bauer will give a synopsis of the play. The Sefacte Mandolin and Guitar Club will render several selections during the afternoon. The cast is as follows:

Duke	Miss Dirkheimer
Jaques	Mrs. J. C. Pritchard
Orlando	Mrs. Ella Steele
Touchstone	Mrs. P. J. Mann
Rosalind	Mrs. C. N. Rankin
Celia	Mrs. M. A. Ogden
Audrey	Mrs. J. H. Pettinger

TRIUMPHS OF 1902.

Seldom if ever in any one year of the history of the world have so many important events of universal interest taken place. America, England, Germany and France have each participated. The President of the United States welcomed and entertained H. R. H. Prince Henry of Prussia at the White House, Edward the VII was crowned King of England and Emperor of India, the German Emperor had his American-built yacht, "Meteor," christened; France had the unveiling of the Rochambeau statue, and at all functions attending these celebrations Moet & Chandon's Champagne was used exclusively. This, indeed, is an unparalleled record, which is proof positive of the superiority and popularity of the renowned brand of Moet & Chandon White Seal.

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CARD OF THANKS.

To all friends and fellow-members of the Woodmen of the World, Order of Red Men, Verein Eintracht and Turn Verein, who participated in the funeral of my beloved husband, I offer my most sincere thanks for their kindness, especially Rev. Mr. Porter, for the kind words spoken at the chapel, as well as Mr. Klug and Mr. Bittner, who delivered so kind a ceremony at the grave.
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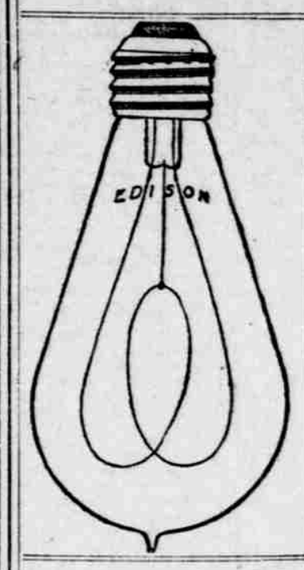

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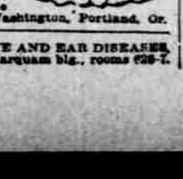

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